## CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL COAST REGION 895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101 San Luis Obispo, California 93401

Public Notice No. R3-2008-0009 NPDES No. CA0048054

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
REISSUANCE OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
(National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit)
FOR
SUMMERLAND SANITARY DISTRICT WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY,
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

On the basis of preliminary staff review and application of lawful standards and regulations, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Coast Region tentatively proposes to reissue the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit for the wastewater discharge from Summerland Sanitary District Wastewater Treatment Facility.

Summerland Sanitary District Wastewater Treatment Facility owns and operates a trunk sewer line and a wastewater treatment plant. The wastewater treatment system is designed to treat a monthly average of 0.3 million gallons per day of wastewater. The treated wastewater is discharged to the Pacific Ocean.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the draft order must submit comments in writing to the address above no later than **March 14, 2008**. The Central Coast Water Board will not accept comments or other written submissions on the Draft Order after **March 14, 2008**, unless the Chair rules that exclusion would create a severe hardship and that the late submission will not prejudice any party or the Central Coast Water Board. Any person asking to submit late materials must explain why the materials were not submitted earlier. The Chair will rule at or before the hearing. Late submissions that consist of evidence (as opposed to policy statements or comments) are generally prejudicial unless all designated parties and Central Coast Water Board staff have time to consider the evidence before the meeting.

The Central Coast Water Board will hold a public hearing to obtain public comment and consider reissuing the NPDES Permit at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, May 9, 2008, at the:

Central Coast Water Quality Control Board 895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 Interested persons are invited to attend to express their views on permit reissuance. Persons making presentations should confine their statements to these issues. For the accuracy of the record, all important testimony should be submitted in writing. Oral statements should be brief to allow all interested persons time to be heard.

The draft order is posted on the Central Coast Water Board's website: <a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralcoast/Permits/Index.htm">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralcoast/Permits/Index.htm</a>

The draft order, report of waste discharge, staff report, related documents, and all comments and petitions received may be inspected and copied at the office of the Water Board, 895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101, San Luis Obispo, California, on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Please direct comments and questions to **David LaCaro at (805) 549-3892** or <u>dlacaro@waterboards.ca.gov</u>, or Harvey Packard at (805) 542-4639 or hpackard@waterboards.ca.gov.

Please bring the foregoing to the attention of any persons known to you who would be interested in this matter.

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